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A Weekly Update for Aging & Disability
Resource Centers, Community Living
Programs, Alzheimer's Disease Supportive
Services Programs, and their Partners

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National Public Radio Series - Aging in Place

NPR's "All Things Considered" has completed a four part series which has taken a look at innovations to help seniors age in place. Audio, transcripts, and summaries from the program are available in the following links:



[Part one](#) - a look at the Village movement

[Part two](#) - evaluates elder care monitoring systems to track movement around the house

[Part three](#) - discusses the use of "telecaregiving" through a video monitoring service

[Part four](#) - talks about home modification, custom made homes, and universal design.

Iowa ADRC Coordinator Position Announcement

Located within the Iowa Department on Aging, this position performs non-supervisory program management work directing operations of Iowa's ADRC. Manages and coordinates the collection of data and related analysis of programs, processes, administrative rules and regulations.

Serves in a leadership capacity and as a liaison involving appropriate federal, state and community organization and service providers.

Monitors and manages contracts including project budgets. Makes formal presentations both orally and in written format that informs, interprets and persuades a wide variety of public and private groups.

Salary range: \$51,376-\$79,456.

Minimum requirements: Graduation from an accredited four year college or university and experience equal to four years of full-time professional level work such as program administration, development, management or operations. Experience in geriatrics, disability and human services required.

For further information or to apply for this position: Go to <http://das.hre.iowa.gov/iowa.jobs.html>, keyword **8305BR** to submit your application before the deadline of September 3, 2010.

The Iowa Department on Aging is an equal employment opportunity/affirmative action employer.

New TAE Website Additions

[ADSSP Quarterly Resource List August 2010](#)

The ADSSP National Resource Center team has prepared this list of resources published in the last quarter covering a range of subjects that might be of interest to ADSSP grantees and partners.



The National Alliance for Caregiving is Seeking Family Caregivers of Veterans for a New Study

The National Alliance for Caregiving is a non-profit research organization seeking participants for a new study of family caregivers of Veterans who need help with everyday activities. This study is intended to determine how caregivers of these Veterans are coping, and what community and VA services, resources, and programs would support and assist them with their caregiving activities.

The National Alliance for Caregiving is currently recruiting many family caregivers of Veterans from across the United States for the Internet survey. The deadline to participate in this study is September 15, 2010.

Cash incentives will be available for study participants. Information obtained from the focus groups, telephone interviews, and Internet survey will be completely confidential and will not be connected to the individual caregivers participating in the study. The National Alliance for Caregiving has conducted many national research studies on caregiving, available on www.caregiving.org.

Thank you for considering participating in a study that could make a difference in the lives of caregivers of Veterans. Please contact Kathy Cameron at kathleen56@caregiving.org or 703-585-6607 for more information.

Family caregivers of veterans who wish to take part in the study can log on to:

www.gwsurvey.com/caregiversofveterans.html

TAE Website Tip of the Week

Interested in listening to recordings or reviewing notes from past technical assistance calls and webinars? You can review all previous TA calls by navigating to "Past TA Events" under the Events tab on the ADRC-TAE webpage.

Contact us anytime at adrc-tae@lewin.com for website support.